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In re Application of

Albert J. Van Mullem

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: DECISION ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed October 14, 2005, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to file a proper response to the final Office action mailed March 11, 2005. The final Office action set a shortened statutory period for reply of three months from its mailing date. A response was filed on June 23, 2005, with a request for an extension of time within the first month. An Advisory Action mailed July 18, 2005, advised that the response of June 23, 2005, failed to place the application in condition for allowance. No further responses were received within the allowable period and the application became abandoned on July 24, 2005.

The Request for Continued Examination and amendment filed October 14, 2005, are noted and made of record.

The application file is being forwarded to Technology Center 3700, GAU 3725 for further processing.

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